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<b>Applicant(s):</b>	Daniel Opperman, et al.	<b>Art Unit:</b>	3691
<b>For:</b>	Methods and apparatus for facilitating financial instrument trading orders		

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## **NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS**

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the rejections in the Final Office Action dated August 3, 2010.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate.

- ☐ Fee not required (Fee paid in prior appeal)
- ☒ Appeal Fee Large Entity (\$540.00)
- ☐ Appeal Fee Small Entity (\$270.00)
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to cover the appeal fee is enclosed
- ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 03-1240, Order No. 17209-452.

- ☒ Applicant hereby authorizes and requests that the Commissioner charge any additional fees that may be required for consideration of this and/or any accompanying and/or necessary papers to Deposit Account No. 03-1240, Order No. 17209-452. In the event that an extension of time is required (or which may be required in addition to that requested in a petition for an extension of time), Applicant requests that the Commissioner grant a petition for an extension of time required to make this response timely, and, Applicant hereby authorizes and requests that the Commissioner charge any fee or credit any overpayment for such an extension of time to Deposit Account No. 03-1240, Order No. 17209-452.

In the event that a telephone conference would facilitate examination of the application in any way, Applicant invites the Examiner to contact the undersigned at the number provided.

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